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In re application of:

Brian Joseph Dutson

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TRACTION TYPE

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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111
AND PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)**

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Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions for a three month extension of time to respond to the non-final Office Action mailed January 22, 2010, thereby extending the time period within which to respond to July 22, 2010.

In response to the Office Action mailed January 22, 2010, please amend the above-identified application as follows: